District Judge James L. Robart 1 2 3 4 5 6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 7 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON AT SEATTLE 8 **REANS SHARIF SULAIMAN &** Case No. 2:22-cv-01425-JLR 9 RONAHI ZAKI AHMED, JLR 10 Plaintiffs, STIPULATED MOTION AND [PROPOSED] ORDER FOR 60-DAY STAY 11 v. 12 UR JADDOU, Director, U.S. Citizenship and NOTED FOR CONSIDERATION: Immigration Services (USCIS); MARY **DECEMBER 21, 2022** 13 ELIZABETH BRENNAN SENG<sup>1</sup>, Director Texas Service Center, U.S. Citizenship and 14 Immigration Services (USCIS);, ANTONY J BLINKEN, U.S. Secretary of State (USDOS); 15 RINA BITTER, U.S. Assistant Secretary of State, Consular Affairs, USDOS; TIMMY T 16 DAVIS, Ambassador, U.S. Embassy, Doha, Qatar, USDOS; PHILLIP SLATTERY, Director 17 of the National Visa Center (NVC), USDOS; U.S. CITIZENSHIP AND IMMIGRATION 18 SERVICES; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE, 19 Defendants. 20 Plaintiffs' complaint challenges the government's delay in adjudicating Plaintiffs' Form I-130. See Dkt. 1. At this time, administrative processing is ongoing. The U.S. Citizenship and 21 22 Immigration Services (USCIS) has reaffirmed the I-130 approval. The file was electronically 23 24 <sup>1</sup> Pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 25(d), Mary Elizabeth Brennan Seng is automatically substituted for her predecessor. STIPULATED MOTION AND ORDER FOR 60-DAY STAY 2:22-cv-01425-JLR

PAGE - 1

## 

1	returned to the U.S. Embassy in Doha, Qat	ear on or about December 15, 2022. The parties
2	therefore jointly propose to stay this matter fo	or 60 days for further administrative processing and
3	in an effort to resolve this matter without fur	ther litigation. The parties agree and propose that
4	they will provide the Court with a Joint Statu	as Report within 60 days to advise the Court of the
5	status and whether there are any claims remaining for this Court to decide.	
6	In addition, pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41(a)(1)(A)(ii), the parties stipulate	
7	that all claims should be dismissed with prejudice against the following defendants UR JADDOU,	
8	Director, U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS); MARY ELIZABETH BRENNAN	
9	SENG, Director Texas Service Center, U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS); and	
10	U.S. CITIZENSHIP AND IMMIGRATION SERVICES.	
11	SO STIPULATED.	
12	Dated this 21st day of December, 2022.	
13	LAW OFFICES OF BART KLEIN	NICHOLAS W. BROWN United States Attorney
14	s/ Bart Klein	s/ Katie D. Fairchild
15	BART KLEIN, WSBA #10909 605 1st Ave Ste 500	KATIE D. FAIRCHILD, WSBA #47712 Assistant United States Attorney
16	Seattle, WA 98104 Tel: (206) 624-3787	United States Attorney's Office 700 Stewart Street, Suite 5220
17	Fax: (206) 624-6371 Email: bart.klein@bartklein.com	Seattle, Washington 98101-1271 Phone: 206-553-7970
18	Attorney for Plaintiffs	Fax: 206-553-4067 Email: katie.fairchild@usdoj.gov
19		Attorney for Defendants
20		
21		
22		
23		
24		

1	ORDER
2	The parties having stipulated and agreed, it is hereby so ORDERED.
3	
4	DATED this 21st day of December, 2022.
5	
6	$\bigcap \circ \circ \circ \star$
7	( Jun R. Plut
8	JAMES L. ROBART United States District Judge
9	
10	
11	
12	
13	
14	
15	
16	
17	
18	
19	
20	
21	
22	
23	

24